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DECEMBER 11, 1805.

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Read the first and second time, and ordered to be committed to a committee of the whole House, on Monday next.

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## A Bill,

Supplementary to the "act making provision for the payment of claims of citizens of the United States on the government of France, the payment of which has been assumed by the United States, by virtue of the convention of the 30th of April, 1803, between the United States and the French republic."



1    *Sec. 1. BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
2    *of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the*  
3    *balance of the appropriation of 3,750,000 dollars, made by the act*  
4    *to which this is a supplement, which may remain unexpended on*  
5    *the 31st of December next, shall not be carried to the credit of the*  
6    *surplus fund; but shall remain appropriated to the same purpose*  
7    *for which it was originally appropriated, until the claims payable*  
8    *out of the same shall have been discharged, any act to the contrary*  
9    *notwithstanding.*